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Nixon Moves Two Officials To New Posts

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President Nixon yesterday appointed Russell E. Train to serve as administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency and named his predecessor, William D. Ruckelshaus, to be deputy attorney general.

In the dual announcement, Nixon said that Train, 53, first chairman of the Council of Environmental Quality, would assume the duties as head of EPA from Robert E. Fri, who has been acting administrator for the past two months.

Ruckelshaus, 41, resigned as head of EPA to become acting head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on a temporary basis when L. Patrick Gray III was compelled to resign because of Watergate disclosures.

Ruckelshaus will succeed Joseph T. Sneed, who was nominated Wednesday to be a Federal Appeals Court judge.